NORTH CAROLINA

SBA DECLARATION #R205 -- MILITARY RESERVIST ECONOMIC INJURY DISASTER LOAN PROGRAM.

Small businesses employing military reservists may apply for economic injury disaster loans if those employees are called up to active duty during a period of military conflict existing on or after March 24, 1999 and those employees are essential to the success of the small business daily operations.

The filing period for small businesses to apply for economic injury loan assistance under the Military Reservist Economic Injury Disaster Loan Program begins on the date the essential employee is ordered to active duty and ends on the date 90 days after the essential employee is discharged or released from active duty.

To date, SBA has approved \$324,300 in disaster loans.

For further information, please call 1-800-359-2227.

SBA DECLARATION #10056-- HURRICANE IVAN THAT OCCURRED SEPTEMBER 15-17, 2004.

Small businesses located in the counties of Cherokee and Clay may apply for economic injury disaster loan assistance through the SBA. These are working capital loans to help the business continue to meet its obligations until the business returns to normal conditions. Physical damages cannot be covered by these loans. These counties are eligible because they are contiguous to one or more primary counties in the State of Georgia.

Only small, non-farm agriculture dependent businesses and small agricultural cooperatives are eligible to apply for assistance.

The filing deadline for economic injury loan applications is October 11, 2005.

For further information, please call 1-800-359-2227.

SBA DECLARATION #10003/10004 -- TORNADOES CREATED FROM REMNANTS OF HURRICANE CHARLEY AND TROPICAL STORM BONNIE THAT OCCURRED AUGUST 12-13, 2004.

Small businesses located in Pender County and contiguous counties of Bladen, Brunswick, Columbus, Duplin, New Hanover, Onslow and Sampson may apply for economic injury disaster loan assistance. These are working capital loans to help the business continue to meet its obligations until the business returns to normal conditions. To date,SBA has approved \$305,700 in disaster loans as a result of this disaster.

The filing deadline for economic injury disaster loan applications is September 9, 2005.

The filing deadline for physical damage loan applications expired February 8, 2005.

For further information, please call 1-800-659-2955.

SBA DECLARATION #9AM8 -- STORMS INCLUDING REMNANTS OF HURRICANE FRANCES AND IVAN THAT OCCURRED SEPTEMBER 1, 2004 AND CONTINUING.

Small businesses located in the counties of Cherokee, Haywood, Madison, Mitchell and Yancey may apply for economic injury disaster loan assistance through the SBA. These are working capital loans to help the business continue to meet its obligations until the business returns to normal conditions. Physical damages cannot be covered by these loans. These counties are eligible because they are contiguous to one or more primary counties in the State of Tennessee.

Only small, non-farm agriculture dependent businesses and small agricultural cooperatives are eligible to apply for assistance.

The filing deadline for economic injury loan applications is July 18, 2005.

For further information, please call 1-800-359-2227.

SBA DECLARATION #3651/9AJ6 -- FLOODING AND TORNADOES CREATED BY REMNANTS OF HURRICANE JEANNE THAT OCCURRED SEPTEMBER 20, 2004.

Small businesses located in Moore County and contiguous counties of Chatham, Cumberland, Harnett, Hoke, Lee, Montgomery, Randolph, Richmond and Scotland may apply for economic injury disaster loan assistance. These are working capital loans to help the business continue to meet its obligations until the business returns to normal conditions. To date, SBA has approved \$7,700 in disaster loans as a result of this disaster.

The filing deadline for economic injury disaster loan applications is August 10, 2005.

The filing deadline for physical damage loan applications expired January 11, 2005.

For further information, please call 1-800-359-2227.

SBA DECLARATION #9AG2 -- HURRICANE CHARLEY THAT OCCURRED AUGUST 14, 2004.

Small businesses located in the counties of Camden, Currituck, Hertford, New Hanover, Pasquotank and Pender and contiguous counties of Bertie, Bladen, Brunswick, Chowan, Columbus, Dare, Duplin, Gates, Northampton, Onslow, Perquimans, Sampson and

Tyrrell may apply for economic injury disaster loan assistance through the SBA. These are working capital loans to help the business continue to meet its obligations until the business returns to normal conditions. Physical damages cannot be covered by these loans.

Only small, non-farm agriculture dependent businesses and small agricultural cooperatives are eligible to apply for assistance.

The filing deadline for economic injury loan applications is May 31, 2005.

For further information, please call 1-800-359-2227.

SBA DECLARATION #9AF5 -- SEVERE STORMS AND FLOODING FROM THE REMNANTS OF HURRICANE JEANNE OCCURRING ON SEPTEMBER 27, 2004.

Small businesses located in Stokes and Surry counties may apply for economic injury disaster loan assistance. These are working capital loans to help the business continue to meet its obligations until the business returns to normal conditions. These counties are eligible because they are contiguous to one or more primary counties in the Commonwealth of Virginia.

The filing deadline for economic injury disaster loan applications is July 18, 2005.

For further information, please call 1-800-359-2227.

SBA DECLARATION #3641/#9AF3 -- HEAVY RAINS ASSOCIATED WITH HURRICANE IVAN THAT OCCURRED SEPTEMBER 16-20, 2004.

Small businesses located in Haywood, Madison and Swain counties may apply for economic injury disaster loan assistance. These are working capital loans to help the business continue to meet its obligations until the business returns to normal conditions. These counties are eligible because they are contiguous to one or more primary counties in the State of Tennessee.

The filing deadline for economic injury disaster loan applications is July 15, 2005.

The filing deadline for physical damage loan applications expired December 14, 2004.

For further information, please call 1-800-359-2227.

SBA DECLARATION #3628/9ZX5 -- HURRICANE IVAN THAT OCCURRED SEPTEMBER 16, 2004 AND CONTINUING THROUGH SEPTEMBER 23, 2004.

Small businesses located in the counties of Alamance, Alleghany, Ashe, Avery, Buncombe, Burke, Caldwell, Caswell, Davidson, Forsyth, Graham, Guilford, Haywood,

Henderson, Jackson, Macon, Madison, McDowell, Mitchell, Polk, Randolph, Rockingham, Rutherford, Stokes, Swain, Transylvania, Watauga, Wilkes and Yancey and contiguous counties of Alexander, Catawba, Chatham, Clay, Cleveland, Cherokee, Davie, Iredell, Lincoln, Montgomery, Moore, Orange, Person, Rowan, Stanly, Surry, and Yadkin may apply for economic injury disaster loan assistance. These are working capital loans to help the business continue to meet its obligations until the business returns to normal conditions. To date, SBA has approved \$10,141,100 in disaster loans as a result of this disaster.

The filing deadline for economic injury disaster loan applications is June 20, 2005.

The filing deadline for physical damage loan applications expired December 17, 2004.

For further information, please call 1-800-359-2227.

SBA DECLARATION #3623/9ZU5 -- TROPICAL STORM FRANCES THAT OCCURRED SEPTEMBER 7, 2004 AND CONTINUING THROUGH SEPTEMBER 12, 2004.

Small businesses located in the counties of Alexander, Avery, Bladen, Buncombe, Burke, Caldwell, Cabarrus, Catawba, Cleveland, Columbus, Cumberland, Gaston, Haywood, Henderson, Hoke, Iredell, Jackson, Lincoln, Madison, McDowell, Mecklenburg, Mitchell, Polk, Robeson, Rutherford, Scotland, Transylvania, Union, Watauga and Yancey and contiguous counties of Anson, Ashe, Brunswick, Davie, Harnett, Macon, Moore, Pender, Richmond, Rowan, Sampson, Stanly, Swain, Wilkes and Yadkin may apply for economic injury disaster loan assistance. These are working capital loans to help the business continue to meet its obligations until the business returns to normal conditions. To date, SBA has approved \$16,341,800 in disaster loans as a result of this disaster.

The filing deadline for economic injury disaster loan applications is June 10, 2005.

The filing deadline for physical damage loan applications expired December 17, 2004.

For further information, please call 1-800-359-2227.

SBA DECLARATION #3616/9ZP8 -- HURRICANE ALEX THAT OCCURRED AUGUST 3, 2004.

Small businesses located in Dare County and contiguous counties of Currituck, Hyde, and Tyrrell may apply for economic injury disaster loan assistance. These are working capital loans to help the business continue to meet its obligations until the business returns to normal conditions. To date, SBA has approved \$1,732,300 in disaster loans for this disaster.

The filing deadline for economic injury disaster loan applications is May 19, 2005.

The filing deadline for physical damage loan applications expired October 18, 2004.

For further information, please call 1-800-359-2227.